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Maps: G.S.G.S. 2738, 4042, 4042(A),
4346, 4346(A) and 4230(A), 1:250,000
12 AG OUTLINE MAP 1:1,500,000
(Situation Map attached).

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1. FRONT LINE: Not applicable.
2. LOCATION OF TROOPS: See Map.
3. ADJACENT UNITS AND SUPPORTING TROOPS.

6TH ARMY GROUP. (071200B). FIRST FRENCH ARMY. (Army Troops). Groupment de Clerck. No change. 10th French Division. Commenced movement to relieve United States forces in REGIERUNGSBEZIRKE TRIER and KOBLENZ and the northwestern portion of PROVINZ NASSAU at 070600B. 1st French Armored Division. Provisional battalion closed in BERLIN Z8550 on 4 July. Remainder of the division commenced movement to relieve United States forces in REICHSGAU WESTMARK, that portion of LAND HESSEN (south) west of the RHINE River and REGIERUNGSBEZIRKE TRIER and KOBLENZ.

II French Corps. 1st French Division. Commenced to relieve American forces in REICHSGAU WESTMARK and that part of LAND HESSEN (south) west of the RHINE River. 3d Algerian Division. Continued to relieve United States forces in REGIERUNGSBEZIRK PFÄLZ and continued to be relieved by United States forces in LAND BADEN and LAND WURTEMBERG.

I French Corps. 5th French Armored Division. Commenced to relieve United States forces in LANDKREISE BIBERACH X6045, EHINGEN X4565 and MUNSINGEN X3080. 4th Moroccan Mountain Division. Commenced to relieve United States forces in REICHSGAU TIROL-VORARLBERG.

21 ARMY GROUP. (071200B). I British Corps District, XXX British Corps District and VIII British Corps District. All no change.

SECOND BRITISH ARMY HEADQUARTERS. No change.

FIRST CANADIAN ARMY. (Army Troops). 4th Canadian Armored Division, 5th Canadian Armored Division (with 18th Cdn Armd Car Regt atchd) and 2d Canadian Armored Brigade. All no change.

I Canadian Corps. No change.

4. WEATHER (Germany).

Precipitation: Scattered showers. Clouds: Broken to overcast. Visibility: 2 - 3 miles at dawn becoming more than 6 miles by 1000B, except in showers where limited to 1 - 2 miles. Wind: 10 mph, west northwest. Temperatures at WIESBADEN: Maximum 81° F. Minimum 52° F.

5. OUR OPERATIONS.

12TH ARMY GROUP. (Army Group Troops). Ninth Army Headquarters, Headquarters Company and Special Troops. Commenced movement to an assembly area in the vicinity of DEAUVILLE T4413, France on 7 July.

SEVENTH ARMY. (Army Troops). 29th Division. No change.

VI Corps. Corps Artillery. (With 101st Cav Gp atchd). The 34th Field Artillery Brigade assumed responsibility for additional area in LAND BADEN and LAND WURTEMBERG at 081200B. 30th Division. Cleared the army area enroute to an assembly area in the vicinity of REIMS T3180. Relieved from assignment to Seventh Army and 12th Army Group and reverted to command USFET. 36th Division. Relieved of responsibility for LANDKREISE BIBERACH X6045, EHINGEN X4565 and MUNSINGEN X3080 by French forces at 081200B. Units continued to relieve units of 100th Division in LANDKREIS GRUND S5025. 84th and 100th Divisions. Assumed responsibility for

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additional areas in LAND BADEN and LAND WURTEMBERG at 081200B.

XIX Corps. 70th Division (With 15th Cav Gp atchd). Continued to withdraw from new French zone of LANDKREISE OBERWESTERWALD G1520, UNTERWESTERWALD G0505, UNTERLAHN M1090 and SANKT GOARSHAUSEN M0075. 3d Division (II Corps US0FA). Continued movement to XIX Corps zone.

XXI and VIII Corps. No change.

THIRD ARMY. XX Corps. 44th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Brigade. Completed the relief of units of 101st Airborne Division in LANDKREIS BERCHTESGADEN Z9010. 20th Armored Division. Units continued movement to an assembly area in the vicinity of LE HAVRE L5027. 80th Division. Continued to relieve French units in LANDKREIS KEMPTEN X9005. 103d Division (II Corps US0FA). Commenced to close in LANDKREISE MUNDELHEIM Y0550 and LANDSBERG Y4045.

XII Corps. 102d Division. Continued to close in 83d Division sector in the vicinity of VILSHOFEN Q0119.

XXII and XV Corps. No change.

FIFTEENTH ARMY. (Army Troops). 106th Division. (With 159th Inf atchd). No change.

XXIII Corps. Corps Artillery. (With 137th Inf and 146th Fr Inf atchd). Relieved of responsibility for REGIERUNGSBEZIRK PFALZ by II French Corps at 081200B.

6. COMMAND POSTS: Changes during the day.

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